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SUBJECT: PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA

1. WE HAVE RAISED WITH PRCLO MATTER OF VISAS FOR PANAM FLIGHT CREWS MAKING SEPTEMBER 22 PASSENGER AND CARGO FLIGHTS FOR PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA. LIAISON OFFICE HAD ASSUMED SAME CREWS WOULD BE USED FOR INBOUND (SEPT 12) AND OUT-BOUND (SEPT 22) FLIGHTS, AND THAT SEPT 12 CREWS HAD GOTTEN VISAS ALSO VALID FOR SEPT 22 FLIGHTS. WE HAVE TOLD PRCLO THAT MANY OF SEPT 22 CREW WERE NOT ON SEPT 12 FLIGHTS AND NEW VISAS WILL BE NECESSARY; ALSO, WE DO NOT KNOW WHETHER SEPT 12 CREW VISAS WERE GOOD FOR MORE THAN ONE ENTRY. PRCLO SAID VISAS FOR SEPT 22 FLIGHTS COULD BE ISSUED EITHER IN WASHINGTON OR IN TOKYO, WHICHEVER MOST CONVENIENT FOR PANAM. WE TOLD PRCLO THAT, IF THE MATTER IS PUT THAT WAY, TOKYO IS MOST CONVENIENT. PRCLO SAID IT IS SURE THIS CAN BE ARRANGED THROUGH MFA. CONSEQUENTLY, WE ARE REQUESTING YOU TO ASK MFA TO AUTHORIZE PRC EMBASSY TOKYO TO ISSUE VISAS FOR PANAM FLIGHT CREWS MAKING SEPT 22 PASSENGER AND CARGO FLIGHTS TO SHANGHAI.

2. PANAM HAS SUGGESTED PROVIDING NAMES AND PASSPORT INFOR-
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MATION OF STANDBY CREWS IN CASE ANY OF SEPTEMBER 22 CREWS

UNABLE AT LAST MINUTE TO MAKE FLIGHTS. IF MFA CAN AUTHORIZE
VISAS FOR STANDBY CREWS IN ADVANCE, LAST MINUTE ARRANGE-
MENTS CAN BE SIMPLIFIED. PANAM HAS NOT YET GIVEN US NAMES
OF STANDBY CREWS BUT WE WILL INFORM YOU AND PRCLO AS SOON
AS WE RECEIVE THEM. RUSH

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